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TO GEORGE JORDON

Dolly Jordan vs. George Jordan
State of Tennessee;
In Chancery Court of Knox County:
No. 15877

In this cause, it appearing from the affidavit filed, and the return of the officer that the defendant George Jordan, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of June next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

This 4th day of May, 1918
J. C. Ford, Clerk and Master.
May 4, 11, 18, 25, 1918.

TO OPHA NORRIS

Clarence Norris vs. Opha Norris
State of Tennessee;
In Chancery Court of Knox County:
No. 15732

In this cause, it appearing from the affidavit filed, which is sworn to, and the return of the officer that the defendant Opha Norris, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon her, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of June next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

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Will Give Whole Time to Labor.
Prof. William Howard Taft, appointed by President Wilson a member of the labor commission for mediation of disputes between employees and employers engaged in war work, was granted leave of absence by the Yale corporation for the current and succeeding collegiate year to permit him to give his attention to the work of the commission.

TO E. D. FIELDEN
U. E. Fielden, et al. vs. Effie Fielden, et al.
State of Tennessee;
In Chancery Court of Knox County:
No. 15962

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant E. D. Fielden, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of June next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

This 4th day of May, 1918.
J. C. FORD, C. & M.
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S. E. Hodges, Sol.
May 4, 11, 18, 25, 1918.

TO FRED MYNATT

Ella Mynatt vs. Fred Mynatt
State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County. No. 15953

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, Fred Mynatt, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of June next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks.

This 19th day of April 1918
J. C. FORD, C. & M.
R. A. Mynatt, Sol.
April 20 27 May. 4 11 1918

TO JUDSON HAROLD WILLIAMS

Mary Edna Williams vs. Judson Harold Williams
State of Tennessee In Chancery Court of Knox County. No. 15941

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, Judson Harold Williams, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of June next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the KNOXVILLE INDEPENDENT for four successive weeks.

This 25th day of April, 1918
J. C. Ford, Clerk & Master
J. Alvin Johnson, Sol.
April 27 May 4 11 18 1918

TO JOHN BOHANAN

Ada Bohanan vs. John Bohanan
State of Tennessee. In Chancery Court of Knox County. No. 15948

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant John Bohanan is a non-resident of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of June next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks.

This 27th day of April 1918
J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.
W. S. Roberts, Sol.
Apr 27 May 4 11 18 1918

TO THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF MINERVA BICKNELL

R. A. Keller, Administrator. vs. Mary Wilson et al.

State of Tennessee. In Chancery Court of Knox County. No. 15822

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendants, the unknown heirs of Minerva Bicknell, whose names and residences are unknown and cannot be ascertained upon diligent inquiry, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon them, it is ordered that said defendants appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of June, 1918, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to them. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

This 27th day of April 1918
J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.
O. L. White, Sol.
Apr. 27 May 4 11 8 1918

NEW DRAFT OF MILLION MEN IS TO BE ASKED

Wilson to Request Sole Power
Over Future Army Increases
to Avoid Delays.

CONGRESS WILL HAVE CHECK

Broad Powers Urged to Avoid Danger
of Lengthy Discussions Every Time
Such a Measure Comes Up
for Action.

Washington, May 2.—An American army of 3,000,000 will be asked of congress by Secretary of War Baker when he appears on Capitol Hill next Monday to tell what he now finds necessary to make American arms successful in Europe.

The whole question of increasing the American fighting strength has been thrashed out by the president and Secretary Baker and the entire cabinet also learned the details at Tuesday's meeting. The very minimum of actual fighting men, exclusive of auxiliary troops, demanded by the situation, is 3,000,000; the administration is now convinced, very largely through observations by the war secretary during his tour of the battle front.

It is understood to have been decided to request an amendment to the selective service law which will provide the president with blanket authority to make such increases as the war situation may demand now or in the future.

The purpose in urging such broad powers for the chief executive is to avoid the dangerous delays caused by lengthy discussions in congress every time such a measure comes up.

Check Is Provided.

The point is made that congress will still have a check on the situation, as appropriations for equipment, supplies and transportation must be legislated for as each increase is made.

Back of the plan appears an unmistakable purpose to limit American participation only to the capacity of overseas transportation facilities. In the program for immediate increases the war department, with the co-operation of the shipping board, is believed to have prepared another surprise.

The number of troops which can be transported across the Atlantic within the next 90 days is said to be greater than any official of the government believed possible one month ago.

Baker to Submit Plan.

The only official statement obtainable at the close of the cabinet meeting was that the plan Secretary of Baker will submit to the house military affairs committee will be President Wilson's.

It is understood that immediate appropriations for an increase of more than 1,000,000 men will be made.

A fighting total of 3,000,000 would involve a total army establishment of approximately 5,000,000 men. It is pointed out. There would have to be 1,500,000 auxiliary and replacement troops and about 500,000 others for emergencies.

Already there are before congress bills providing for drafts that would bring these totals and it is doubted if any serious opposition to Baker's plans will develop, although details may be contested.

HUN CAN'T BE U. S. CITIZEN?

Leipzig Tribunal Holds That Naturalization After Long Residence Is Void.

Whiteplains, N. Y., May 2.—A decree of the royal district court of Leipzig, handed down six months before the United States entered the war, has just been received here in the case of Ernest Gustav Hoffman of New Rochelle, who died in 1908, leaving an estate of about \$300,000.

In this decree rendered after Hoffman's widow had gone to Germany and married again, the German court refused to recognize the American citizenship of Hoffman, who was naturalized in 1905 after living 24 years in this country, and asserted that no German can become a citizen of the United States, under any circumstances.

BARES BIG ANNEXATION PLAN

Catholicism Tells Soldiers Germany Would Grow East and West and Rule Flanders.

Washington, May 2.—Domination of the coast of Flanders, colonization of Poland, Lithuania and a large part of Poland and possession of the coal and iron mines in France and Russia, would be the fruits of "the true German peace," as outlined in a political catechism recently delivered to the German soldiers on the western front. The catechism was distributed with the approbation of the military authorities, in dispatch says.

Salome Made Queen of Tonga.
Auckland, N. Z., May 2.—Princess Salome, wife of the governor of Haabland, has been proclaimed queen of Tonga in succession to the late King George II.

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ALLIES REPULSE HUNS AT YPRES; LINES STIFFENED

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French Advance at Vital Point Before
Ypres—British Take Prisoners in
the Neighborhood of Meteren—
"Foe" Is Stunned.

London, May 2.—French troops Tuesday night improved their positions in the neighborhood of Loire, on the Flanders front, the war office announces. The British rushed German posts in the Meteren sector and took prisoners. The statement follows:

"A local attack made by the enemy upon one of our posts in the neighborhood of St. Julien was repulsed by machine-gun fire. Posts held by the enemy in the Meteren sector were rushed by our troops during the night and a few prisoners were taken by us. "By successful minor enterprises carried out at night, French troops improved the positions held by them in the neighborhood of Loire."

Fighting on the Somme.

Paris, May 2.—Artillery duels of some intensity occurred at night on the Somme front near Villers-Bretonneux and on both sides of the Avre, southeast of Amiens, says the war office report. The statement reads:

"Artillery actions of some violence took place in the region of Villers-Bretonneux and on both banks of the Avre."

"In Lorraine French patrols brought in prisoners."

"The night was quiet on the remainder of the front."

Huns Are Stunned.

Stunned by the severe punishment inflicted by the British and French, the Germans in Flanders have given up for the moment their attempts to gain further hill positions west of Mont Kemmel. Meanwhile it is presumed General Von Armin is reforming his battered forces and bringing up new reserves to hurl against the granite allied defense.

German occupation of Mont Kemmel, although a strategic loss, has not enabled the enemy to encroach further into the British and French positions southwest of Ypres, nor has it apparently brought any nearer the evacuation of the flattened Ypres salient. After the intense fighting of Monday, in which the Germans strove desperately to enlarge their gains on the high ground north of the Lys, there has been only local fighting.

Allied Leaders Content.

Apparently the allied commanders are content to hold on to their present line and let the Germans make more attacks in an endeavor to drive them back. In their disastrous repulse the Germans not only failed to gain, although using larger forces than the defenders, but they were driven from some positions they had held since the capture of Mont Kemmel last week.

Along the Flanders front and in Picardy strong artillery bombardments continue. The Germans have been throwing great numbers of shells into the French positions around Hangard, south of the Somme, probably in preparation for still another attempt to drive the French back to the Avre.

A German attack in the Noyon sector brought the enemy into French positions, from which, however, they were thrown out in spirited fighting. Clemenceau Is Confident.

Paris, May 2.—"The general situation on the battle front is clearing in favor of the allies," Premier Clemenceau has announced in the chamber of deputies. This same sentiment is echoed in the press. Marcel Eutin, one of the best known of the French war correspondents, declared today that "the German offensive in Flanders is in its last throes."

The Echo de Paris dwells upon the severity of the German losses, saying that losses of the allies are only one-tenth those of the Germans.

TO INTERN MISS RICHRATH

Stated by Government Authorities That Vassar Instructor Will Be Locked Up.

New York, May 2.—Miss Agathe Wilhelmine Richrath, the Vassar college instructor taken into custody at Poughkeepsie on a charge of being pro-German and circulating German propaganda, announced on her arrival here that she had tendered her resignation to Henry Noble MacCracken, president of the college, and that it had not been accepted. It was stated by government authorities that Miss Richrath would be interned as an enemy alien.

Big Slump in Immigration.

Washington, May 2.—Immigration from Europe fell off one million during the United States' first year of the war, according to statistics made public by the bureau of immigration. The figures show that only 400,000 immigrants were admitted during the last year, while 1,400,000 came in the previous year.

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TO OLIVER MACHINERY COMPANY AND GRAND RAPIDS NATIONAL CITY BANK

Wm. J. Oliver Mfg. Co. vs. Oliver Machinery Co. et al.
State of Tennessee;
In Chancery Court of Knox County:
No. 15953

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendants Oliver Machinery Company and Grand Rapids National City Bank are non-residents of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon them, it is ordered that said defendants appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of June next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to them. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

This 2nd day of May, 1918.
J. C. Ford, Clerk and Master:
A. C. Grimm, Sol.
May 4, 11, 18, 25, 1918.

County Court Land Sale

H. W. Mynatt vs. Elmore Mynatt,
No. 5038.

Pursuant to a decree pronounced in the above cause at the April term, 1918, of the County Court of Knox County, Tenn., I will offer for sale to the highest bidder in front of the north door of the court house in Knoxville, Tenn., on Saturday the 25th day of May, 1918, at 11 o'clock A. M., the lands described in the pleadings, to-wit: Situated in the 7th Dist. of Knox County, Tenn., being as follows:

1st. Tract. Adjoining the land of Thos. Buckley et al. and bounded as follows: Beginning on a stake, chestnut and hickory pointer; thence North 45 degrees; West 42 1/2 poles to a post oak; thence South 50 degrees; West 21 1/2 poles to a gum, Crippen's corner; thence South 20 degrees; East 28 poles to a post oak; thence South 48 degrees; West 67 1/2 poles to a rock set in the ground; thence 24 degrees; East 18 poles to a double pine and small black oak; thence North 48 degrees; East 103 poles and 7 links to the beginning, containing 16 1/4 acres and 10 poles.

2nd. Tract. Adjoining the lands of John Gottshaw, Jemins Hall et al., bounded and described as follows: Beginning on a black gum in Jos. A. Mynatt's line; thence Northeast with said line 24 poles to a stake in Andrew C. Hall's line; thence northwest with said line 117 poles to a post oak, A. C. Hall's corner; thence with A. C. Hall's line Southwest 28 1/2 poles to a stake in said line; thence Southwest 123 poles to the beginning, containing 17 acres, more or less.

Terms: Said property will be sold for 1-3 cash and the balance on a credit of 6 and 12 months, to the highest and best bidder, taking interest bearing notes with good security and retaining a lien on land as further security.

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Some of the most intense loyalty to Uncle Sam is found among his nephews who were born abroad. A fine expression of this loyalty is found in the "house organ" of the Pennsylvania railroad. It was written by William Parker, a car repairman.

"I came here from Ireland with my parents in 1872," he begins. "For forty-five years I have lived under the grandest flag that floats on the breeze. I love my adopted country. Here I have lived for forty-five years. I have received what little I possess of a free education. I have been permitted to go about quietly and enjoy a sheltered, protected life. I have been permitted to live in and enjoy a land of public schools, colleges and churches. I have been protected in my rights in matters of religion and conscience, and I have not been asked to make a sacrifice for my country."

"Today my country needs and calls for help, and am I to be one of those who take all and give nothing in return?"

"Now to get to the practical part—'What am I doing to help win the war?' When war was declared I was the first on our street to fling 'Old Glory' to the breeze, and thus let all men know I was in sympathy with the war policies of my government. Wherever I go I am trying to create patriotic sentiment, and am continually raising my voice in defense of the national government and its war policies. In the second place, by my pen I have sought to create sentiment in favor of the government's war program. In the third place, I am trying to help win the war by giving of my income, as much as I can afford. When the first Liberty loan was offered I went to a certain trust company and bought a Liberty bond."

"I have also bought others, and because I want to see our American lads well taken care of at home and at the front, I have thus far contributed \$50.50 to the American Red Cross, entitling Mrs. Parker and myself to 'life membership' certificates which we hold. I have also contributed to the Young Men's Christian association army fund, and to the Armenian relief, and am sending books, magazines and papers to one of the army camps."

"When you understand that I am working as a car repairman, you will know that this has meant a lot of sacrifice, but what of it? We must win this war!"

Wisconsin Industrial Accidents.

A report by Wisconsin's industrial commission shows that the number of industrial accidents in that state increased from 11,008 in the fiscal year of 1915 to 20,560 in the fiscal year 1917.

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